



Minority Enterprise Development Week 2016

CALENDAR of ACTIVITIES

Theme: “Minority Supplier Development: INVESTING IN THE FUTURE”

MONDAY – October 3

MED WEEK KICKOFF RECEPTION – 5:30PM TO 7:30PM

Partnering Organizations: Big Bend Minority Chamber of Commerce Construction Council & Florida State Minority Supplier Development Council

VENUE: JOHNSON+MILNER - 3494 Martin Hurst Road

****Presentation of 2016 MED Week Minority Business and Woman Business of the Year Awards to**

Kenneth Taite of Haggai Construction and Sabrina McMillian of CSI Contracting**

FREE – OPEN TO PUBLIC – DRINKS / HOT HORS D’OURVES – [CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

TUESDAY – October 4

MED WEEK WORKSHOP – 10:00AM TO 11:30AM

“Preparing Grant Proposals and Obtaining/Maintaining 501c3 Status”

Presenter: Jennifer Donald of Metropolitan Design & Consulting Group, Inc.

VENUE: FSU TURNBULL CONFERENCE CENTER – Room 214 (555 West Pensacola Street)

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OSD SUPPLIER DIVERSITY EXCHANGE - 12:30PM TO 5:00PM

Partnering Organization: Florida Department of Management Services Office of Supplier Diversity

VENUE: FSU TURNBULL CONFERENCE CENTER – Room 214

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WEDNESDAY – October 5

OSD SUPPLIER DIVERSITY EXCHANGE - 8:00AM TO 3:00PM

Partnering Organization: Florida Department of Management Services Office of Supplier Diversity

VENUE: FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN & FAMILIES - Building #4

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POWER FORWARD SPEAKER SERIES – 3:30PM

Featured Guest: Jim Kelly

VENUE: RUBY DIAMOND AUDITORIUM – Florida State University [Click Here for Tickets](#)

THURSDAY – October 6

MED WEEK WORKSHOPS – 8:30AM TO 11:15AM

Financial Institutions: Envision Credit Union, FSU Regions, Florida First Commerce, SunTrust Bank

VENUE: FSU TURNBULL CONFERENCE CENTER – Room 214

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- 8:30am: Registration
- 9:00am-10:00am: “Online Presence”
- 10:15am-11:15am: “Roundtable: Access to Capital”

BIG BEND MED WEEK BUSINESS AWARDS LUNCHEON – 11:30AM

Keynote Speaker: Shoneji Robinson of [Southern Girl Desserts](#) Los Angeles, CA

VENUE: FSU TURNBULL CONFERENCE CENTER- Room 108 (555 W Pensacola Street)

****Presentation of the 2016 “Reginald L. Rolle”**

Economic Development Champion of the Year to Benjamin “Ben” Harris**

FREE – OPEN TO PUBLIC **Pre-registration is REQUIRED by October 4th** – [CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

For more information, please email MEDWeek2016@gmail.com or visit www.BigBendMEDWeek.org.